



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

MATSUMOTO, Kimikazu

Serial No.: 09/929,488

Group Art Unit: 2871

Filed: August 15, 2001

Examiner: Rude, T.

For: ACTIVE MATRIX TYPE LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 13, 2003, and prior to evaluation on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: